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### BRIEF TELEGRAMS.

The Montreal Amateur Athletic Association has decided to erect a new club house at a cost of \$150,000.

Justice Miles Beach, of the Supreme court of New York, died early yesterday at his apartments in the Waldorf Astoria, New York.

Prof. Eugene T. Schaeffer, senior master at Bishop Scott academy, Portland, Ore., a school conducted under the direction of the Episcopal church, committed suicide yesterday by shooting himself with a revolver. His body was found sitting in a chair in one of the classrooms.

During the Philippine investigation before the United States Senate committee yesterday, a letter was read from Gen. Hughes, denying that he ever gave orders for the water cure, and saying that if such a charge was made, he wanted the fullest investigation of it. Corporal Richard O'Brien, formerly of the Twenty-sixth Volunteer Infantry, testified to seeing the water cure admin-

istered. "Dum-dum" or explosive bullets, he said, were issued to the troops in the regular way, and did horrible execution. There were unwritten orders to take no prisoners.

Coroner Scholer and a jury held an inquest at New York yesterday into the deaths of Paul L. Ford, the author, and Malcolm W. Ford, his brother. The jury returned a verdict that Malcolm W. Ford was temporarily insane at the time of the tragedy.

A water spout struck a few miles from Preston, Minn., on Sunday night, deluging the country for miles around. Four unknown persons were drowned, and Alderman Conker was killed by lightning. The damage to property is very heavy.

Near Forrestville, a farmer lost four children.

Sir William Van Horne arrived at New York yesterday from Havana. He said that he expected that the last spike on the Santa Clara & Santiago railway would be driven next week. He also said: "We shall have no official celebration of our opening, as I don't believe in such things; but I believe the event will be auspicious, and an augury of good for Cuba. We are building a number of branch lines as feeders to our system."

Men's Brown and Black Seamless Cotton Sox, worth 15c; three pairs for 40c, at The Mammoth Bankrupt Clothing Sale, 111 Government St.

## NEXT MEETING MAY TAKE PLACE HERE

### BUSINESS BEFORE THE METHODIST CONFERENCE

New Shingle Mill at Hastings—Washout at Bow River Delays Eastern Express.

(Special to the Times.)  
Vancouver, May 20.—The Methodist stationing committee was in session until 1 o'clock this morning, making changes in the stations which will be announced in a couple of days. Important changes are being made. A resolution of thanks was passed this morning to Mayor Neill for giving the casting vote at the council last night to close all-night saloons from 1 to 5 a.m. Rev. Mr. Calvert, West church, New Westminster, has resigned to take the position of bursar at Columbian College, which is now in better condition than ever before. Two thousand dollars were yesterday raised for the college funds. Additional powers were given Principal Sipprell. The conference will probably meet at Victoria next year.

### New Mill.

Thos. Kirkpatrick commenced construction of a large shingle mill at Hastings this morning.

### Chief and Committee.

Abel Wells last night announced the intention of the police committee to place two at each of the detectives back on patrol duty in uniform. Chief North came out this morning with decided objection to the scheme, and declares it will never be done with his consent.

### From Skagway.

The City of Seattle, which reached here from Skagway this morning, brought news that the steamer Sibbi left La Barge on the 14th, and should have arrived at Dawson yesterday. The river is practically clear of ice.

### Train Cancelled.

To-day's train is cancelled owing to a washout at Bow river.

### THE CZAR AND PRESIDENT.

M. Loubet Received By the Emperor of Russia at Kronstadt To-Day.

### (Associated Press.)

Kronstadt, Russia, May 20.—The French squadron escorting the armored cruiser, Montcalm, having, President Loubet on board, was sighted at about 8 o'clock this morning, slowly picking its way through the great blocks of ice still encumbering the lower channel. The weather was extremely cold, and it was raining intermittently. The port was elaborately decorated. Welcoming motes were to be seen every where.

Great crowds assembled on the quays and they mingled their cheers with the salutes from the ships and forts as the Montcalm entered the harbor, where she was quickly surrounded by hundreds of small boats filled with enthusiastic sight-seers.

The Imperial yacht Alexandra, and the Czar on board, arrived almost simultaneously with the French squadron. Accompanying the Czar were the Countess with the Grand Duke Michael, brother of His Majesty; Count Tansdorff, the minister of foreign affairs; the Margrave de Montebello, the French ambassador at St. Petersburg; the Grand Duke Alexis, the high admiral of Russia, and their brilliant suites. The Grand Duke Alexis boarded the Montcalm, and after President Loubet had briefly reviewed the Russian fleet, he escorted the President on board the Alexandra, where the greetings exchanged between the Czar and M. Loubet were most cordial.

### Premier Will Resign.

Paris, May 20.—It is officially announced that Premier M. Waldeck-Rousseau will resign before June 1st, leaving President Loubet to form a new cabinet, simultaneously with the meeting of the new chamber. M. Rousselle notified the President's departure for Russia that he considered he had accomplished the work of unity which was the object of his taking office, and that therefore he desired to retire from the present cabinet, but would retain office until a new cabinet was formed from representatives of the majority of the newly-elected deputies.

### ST. PAUL STRIKE.

Men Will Return to Work on New Schedule Prepared by Builders' Exchange.

### (Associated Press.)

St. Paul, Minn., May 20.—The strike which has been on in the building trades since early in the month was practically settled last night, and the men will go back to work. The Builders' Exchange announced yesterday that they would put into effect a new schedule, giving the carpenters a raise of 74 cents per hour. Bricklayers are to get an advance of five cents an hour. The demands of the hoisting engineers are granted. The exchange announced that these terms would apply to all wage workers, whether union or non-union, and do not involve recognition of the trades and labor union.

Men's and Boys' Straw Hats, 10c each, at The Mammoth Bankrupt Clothing Sale, 111 Government St.

### THE BOER CONFERENCE.

Reported Vote in Favor of Peace on Best Terms Prolicable.

### (Associated Press.)

London, May 20.—Business on the stock exchange was very buoyant this afternoon owing to reports of the receipt of private telegram announcing that the Boer conference at Vereeniging had voted in favor of peace on the best terms procurable by a delegation to be sent to Pretoria to confer with Lord Kitchener and Lord Milner.

### Nothing Definite.

London, May 20.—Optimism continued to prevail here regarding the prospects of peace in South Africa, but definite facts are wanting. Such an incident as A. J. Balfour, the government leader, and Lord Roberts, the commander-in-chief, dining with King Edward at Windsor Castle last night has been magnified into an important conference on the subject of the proceedings in South Africa. The single fact appears to be that the official messages indicate that the meeting of the Boers is in favor of sending a deputation to Pretoria to confer with Lord Milner and Lord Kitchener, perhaps during the course of the present week. This, however, by no means assures peace. Any way the negotiations are likely to be protracted.

### CHINESE AFFAIRS.

Bible Society's Agent Tells of Present Situation—Re-Translation of the Bible.

### (Associated Press.)

New York, May 20.—The Rev. Dr. John B. Hayes, agent of the American Bible Society in Shanghai, China, has submitted a report to the society on the condition and outlook in China. Dr. Hayes says the question of a re-translation of the recent troubles in China depends on whether the government of the Empire wants another edition of the Bible. The uprising will take place and in the manner prescribed, according to Dr. Hayes.

As a result of an edict directing that the sons of Manchus and Mongols shall be chosen to go abroad and study, there has been an influx of demand for foreign books. Supplies included. One government college has applied for a grant for 50 Bibles for the use of its students, and old scholars are scattered over the world in the government service in the capacity of translators and interpreters and teachers of English.

One of the signs of the times, says Dr. Hayes, is a remarkable movement on the part of some of the highest officials in the land to make a re-translation or revision of the Bible with the view of putting it into what they consider a more worthy literary form. This work is now in progress, with the Imperial sanction. The officials hope thus to acquit the official class with the contents of the Bible and remove their prejudice against it, and thereby against Christians and Christianity.

The society issued more Mandarin Bibles in the last three months of this year than would have been considered ample stock for eight years a decade ago.

### ANOTHER COMBINE.

Large Number of Independent Biscuit Companies Will Unite.

### (Associated Press.)

Chicago, Ill., May 20.—The independent biscuit companies throughout the country will soon be combined in a giant rival to the National Biscuit Company, probably under the name of the Union Biscuit Company, says the Inter-Ocean. Several of the largest independent companies unite, and steps now being taken by the officers of the Union Biscuit Company, of St. Louis, are designed to amalgamate most of the 150 independent companies into one corporation.

### WIND STORM.

Many Persons Injured, Buildings Overturned and Trees Uprooted.

### (Associated Press.)

Duluth, Minn., May 20.—A wind storm of great violence swept Duluth last evening. Several persons were injured. The wind played havoc in the lumber districts. Small buildings were overturned and numerous trees were blown down. The shipping to the harbor was blown about. Many valuable records of the United States government engineer's office were destroyed by a flood of water.

### GOING TO LADYSMITH.

Report That Officials of Extension Mines Are to Change Residence.

### (Special to the Times.)

Nanaimo, May 20.—It is reported on good authority that the officials of the Extension mines are now to take up their residence at Ladysmith. Preparations are said to be in progress now for moving their houses down. It is also said that all business is to be centralized at Ladysmith, including the letting of contracts, etc. The pay office has been there for some months.

### WITHOUT ASKING.

### (Associated Press.)

St. Paul, Minn., May 20.—The state board of control has advanced the salaries of all state employees ten per cent, because of the increased cost of living. There was no demand on the part of the employees for this increase. The additional cost to the state will exceed \$40,000 per annum.

### QUEEN WILHELMINA.

### (Associated Press.)

The Hague, May 20.—Queen Wilhelmina is now able to leave her bed for a short time each day.

## BRITISH COLUMBIA NOT REPRESENTED

### AT FISHERY CONFERENCE IN FEDERAL CAPITAL

All Other Provinces Have Representatives Present—Will Last a Couple of Days.

### (Special to the Times.)

Ottawa, May 20.—The conference between the Dominion and the provinces interested in fisheries took place here today. All the provinces were represented except British Columbia. Its interests in fisheries are such that it was expected it would be represented. The conference will likely last a couple of days. The ministers present for the Dominion were: Messrs. Sutherland, Blair, Fielding, Furt, Patterson and Templeman. The provinces are represented by premiers and other members of the governments.

### A Change.

Major Cockburn, Toronto, has resigned his position on the reformation committee, and Major Forrester has got his place.

### At Ottawa.

Fred Peters, K. C., and Dan Mann are at present visiting the Capital.

### CONDITIONS WHICH OBTAIN IN JAPAN

A Yokohama Newspaper Manager Tells of the Operation of the House Tax.

C. E. Duhain, manager of the Japan Daily Advertiser, Yokohama, arrived on the steamer Shinano Maru this morning on a tour of the world. He left Yokohama on May 16th, and expects to reach London about the 1st of August.

Mr. Duhain reports no startling news from the Far East, the House tax question being the one main topic occupying the minds of foreigners in Japan when he left. This tax has been levied on all foreigners holding property on original concessions granted by the Japanese government immediately after Perry's expedition, and no thought of imposing a tax upon foreign houses had been thought of until after the treaty revision in 1898, and in fact was not put into force until this year, when distraints were made in Yokohama, Kobe and Nagasaki. In all cases payment was made to the authorities under protest as the land was given to the foreigners out and out with no provision for an extra levy in case of improvement thereon. The whole unfortunate complication seems to have arisen from a misconception in the mind of the Japanese as to what constitutes personal and real estate. The land originally was subject to a certain yearly tax in perpetuity, no provision having been made for any improvements, no matter of what nature, that might be made there after upon the land thus given. As foreign governments are now taking the matter up and the Japanese having signified their willingness to submit the question to arbitration, it is almost certain that the money detained will be returned after the matter has been amicably settled.

It is learned from Mr. Duhain that Mr. Meyer returned to Japan on the Tosa Maru about a month ago in the custody of W. E. Grimsdew, United States deputy marshal, and was handed over to the Japanese authorities. He is now awaiting trial in the Nigoshi prison near Yokohama.

It will be remembered that Meyer was charged with forging bonds of the Yokohama Steam Laundry Company, using the name of Mr. E. V. Thorne, of the "Box and Carton" Co. It is not known as yet what his fate may be as the case seems to be rather complicated, and there are many difficult points to prove its connection.

In closing Mr. Duhain said, in speaking of Japan, that it is a great mistake to think that the country has been robbed of all its form of uniqueness. Many people suppose that the Japan of to-day is in a state of transition, and is rapidly becoming Europeanized. While this may be true of the treaty ports and on the line of tourist travel to some extent, still any one digressing from the usual well-trodden paths will find that the Mikado's domain of to-day is in the same state of ancient simplicity as it was before she strove to take on the mantle of "so-called" Western civilization.

In answer to the question is Japan a cheap country, he said that the prices of commodities and wages have been steadily rising for the past five years. Servants' wages in riksha fares, prices of all food products, house rents, and in fact everything is steadily becoming more costly, and it is doubtful if one can live in the European settlements to-day at a more reasonable figure than in the principal cities of America or Europe. This condition of affairs is in part responsible because of the high taxes levied by the government, the constantly rising price of rice and the general clamor of the Japanese to merge into European ways. However, the country districts have suffered but little as yet, but are bound to be affected in time by the onward march of Western progress.

### A FIASCO.

The Government's Attempt to Coerce Mr. Neill Results Disastrously.

The desperate attempt of the government to secure from the electorate of Alberta some mandate to Mr. Neill to support their railway bill and the ignominious failure to do so, are further illustrated in letters from Thrus correspondents received by mail to-day, and which amplify the dispatch published last night.

The meeting, it appears, utterly failed in its object, the majority of the score present holding that Mr. Neill should be allowed a perfectly free hand.

J. R. Thompson, a government office-holder, who seems to have been instrumental in organizing the meeting, opened the proceedings and submitted the "support-the-bill-or-resign" resolution already mentioned.

This was seconded by C. Selz, who read a telegram from the Attorney-General guaranteeing a road from the east coast to Alberta and thence to Victoria provided the government got the necessary support. This was in answer to a dispatch from C. L. Selz and J. B. Thompson, asking if the meeting got the support of Mr. Neill for the government railway policy could a road be guaranteed Alberta.

Mr. Heath thought the resolution came with very bad grace from a government servant. This Mr. Thompson warmly repudiated, saying he had no much right to discuss politics as Mr. Heath or any other man. Mr. Alexander moved, seconded by Dr. Watson, an amendment that Mr. Neill be given an entirely free hand in the matter. Mr. Neill gave an able address on the railway policy of the House, but admitted that if Mr. Neill conscientiously took the stand he did it was wrong to try to coerce him. He moved a further amendment that both the resolution and amendment be given a six months' hoist. This being defeated, the amendment that Mr. Neill be given an entirely free hand was put, and by the volume of yeas, carried. This happening in a meeting got on by government supporters endeavoring Mr. Neill's stand completely. Several gentlemen present said they had signed the petition to Mr. Neill asking him to support the railway policy of the House, but after they had signed saw the mistake, and were sorry for signing. But the petition was very skillfully worded, leading to the supposition that they were asking Mr. Neill to endeavor to get a railway from the coast to Alberta only. Mr. Neill has been inundated with letters asking him to take signatures off the petition.

A number of Victoria business men say the government again this morning, and anxiously inquired after the railway bill. They were assured that it would be speedily submitted.

There was another government caucus this morning.

### DEATH OF JOHN PIERCE.

Coroner's Jury Return Verdict of Death From Natural Causes.

An inquest was held this morning into the death of John Pierce, who was found dead in his house on Chatham street on Sunday morning.

The city coroner, Dr. Hart, presided at the inquiry, and the jury consisted of Wm. Ladner (foreman), Geo. Webb, E. Robinson, A. J. Grant, John Banfield and A. M. Jones.

After the jury had viewed the body, Dr. Fraser, who had made a post mortem examination, deposed that there were no marks of violence on the body, which was well nourished, and in a fairly healthy condition. Death had resulted from a rupture of the abdominal aorta, which might occur at any time.

A. Stokes gave evidence to the effect that he was a particular friend of deceased, whom he had known for 38 years. He lived in the next house to deceased, and had gone there on Sunday morning. Finding the door locked, he had looked through the window, and saw deceased lying in bed. Witness thought he was dead, and went for the police.

Evidence having been given by Constable Harper in regard to the removal of the body, Coroner Hart said that it was a clear case of natural death, and although it might be thought foolish for a man of Pierce's advanced age to live alone, still he had a right to do so if he chose.

The jury returned a verdict of "death from natural causes."

As stated in yesterday's Times, Pierce amassed a comfortable little fortune from mining operations in Cariboo and farming in Saanich. He was 83 years of age. After the inquest the body was removed from W. J. Hanna's parlors to the late residence of the deceased on Chatham street, from which place the funeral took place. Rev. Mr. Dean conducted the services.

### IN THE LEGISLATURE.

The House Again Proceeded With Private Business.

Prayers were read by Rev. A. Fraser. Mr. McBride asked the leader of the government if he was aware of the sessions of the fisheries committee at Ottawa, and asked if the province was represented. The leader of the government said he was aware and that he had wired the Minister of Marine and Fisheries that it was impossible for the government to be represented owing to the House not having convened.

Mr. McBride said he would move the adjournment of the debate to discuss the government's omission.

The House, on the government's initiative, again proceeded to private business.

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## WILL OPERATE ON EXTENSIVE SCALE

### SALMON COMBINE'S PLANS FOR FUTURE

Will Go Into Fish Business in All of Its Branches Using Canneries All Year.

The British Columbia Canneries Packers' Association recently organized have now taken over 34 canneries, while negotiations are going on for other canneries. A number of these will join the combine, and it is expected that all will come in later.

The amalgamation of the salmon canneries is likely to turn out a good thing for the southwest coast of Vancouver Island and Victoria. The very strong stand taken by the promoters against the granting of shore rights to those outside the cannery business was on account of recognizing the great value these rights are likely to have through large operations, sure to be carried on in the near future on the West Coast. The directors of the British Columbia packers intend going thoroughly into the fish business in all its different phases, in the course of time. As it is at present the canneries are operated for only six weeks or so, and then lie idle for the balance of the year. An endeavor will be made to change this order of business and by packing all kinds of salmon, catching halibut, cod and sailing dog salmon for the Japanese market, etc. It is hoped that the fishermen may be able to obtain more continuous work, and consequently not require such large pay for seckers on the Fraser as they have been hitherto receiving.

It is recognized as a certainty that traps will be granted on the West Coast of Vancouver Island, and as soon as this is done the British Columbia packers are prepared to go into the mode of catching fish as indicated in a most thorough and up-to-date manner. Canneries will be established near where the fish are caught, and it will be a very easy matter to bring lumber and machinery from the canneries on the Fraser, which will be dismantled and discontinued with these canneries that the salting of dog salmon and the catching of halibut and cod and other varieties of fish will be carried on.

This, of course, will all be contiguous to Victoria, and will result greatly to the city's benefit. The only drawback to shipping frozen fish from here will be the lack of railroad connections, but it is hoped this will be obviated in the near future, so that refrigerating cars may be loaded at the outer wharf.

As the canning and fishing industry is developed oil and guano works will be operated in connection therewith, so that taking it all in all, while the setting out of interests formerly held in Victoria may look to the disadvantage of this city in one way, it is hoped that with the fishing by traps great good may eventually result to all the lower end of the Island.

The British Columbia packers with the number of large traps, sews and plants they have, and backed by unlimited capital, are certainly in a much better position to thoroughly exploit the whole fishing business of the country than individual companies with limited funds. Vancouver harbor, in front of the swell houses is being built up by ships and saw mills. While adding to the business of that city this makes advantage to the occupants of nearby islands. I like thing may here occur if the latter, when to Trial Island, frontage, is built out with fish traps.

### VISITED MANILA.

Prominent Representative of St. Paul Passes Through City En Route Home.

Rudolph Schiffmann, M. D., president of the council of St. Paul, who has been making a business trip to the Orient, arrived on the steamer Shinano Maru this morning. Manila was his first port of call while in the Far East, and he spent considerable time here in the transaction of private business. Speaking of the Philippine capital, he said that it is now, or was when he left en route home, seriously affected with a cholera epidemic which was causing deaths at the rate of 25 a day. The city was splendidly disciplined in matter of carrying out sanitation regulations, and altogether was the cleanest he was ever in. The native and Chinese quarters are daily visited by sanitary officers, and every precaution is taken to stamp out the disease. Mr. Schiffmann arrived at one of the islands. A death occurred aboard the transport on which he arrived, and in consequence all on board were quarantined. Afterwards the general was landed on one of the southern islands. Mr. Schiffmann reports that in many of the larger islands there are many signs of prosperity, and had it not been for the cholera there would have been a large immigration this year.

### SHOT HOST AND HOSTESS.

### (Associated Press.)

Niagara, N. Y., May 20.—Herman Coates shot and killed Lewis Hall and fatally wounded Mrs. Hall last night at the home of the Halls, where Coates had been invited to take supper. Coates, who had been drinking, escaped. It is supposed he fled to New Jersey. No cause is known for the shooting.



**CAMPBELL'S PRESCRIPTION STORE**

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METHODIST CONFERENCE

YANCOVER, May 19.—The first report of the stationing committee of the Methodist conference has been made final. This morning a memorial was prepared by the Dominion government asking the same treatment to Methodist missions as was given to Church of England and Roman Catholic missions.

This afternoon the question of investing Principal Sippell, of the University of Columbia College, was discussed, and the convention heard addresses from the Nanaimo Presbyterial synod, the W. C. T. U., the Women's Missionary Society, and an address from Mayor Neelands. The stationing committee's report follows:

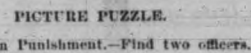
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## Some Correspondence Bearing on the Olalla Company's Proposal.

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All Canada will welcome the announcement that the 24th of May, the birthday of a Queen whose memory will live as long as the British Empire shall endure, is to be proclaimed a perpetual holiday, and that it will be celebrated in Canada in honor of the birth of King Edward VII. This provision has been made in order that the public holidays in the Dominion may be judiciously distributed throughout the year. The consensus of opinion is that we are already liberally endowed with holidays, and that it would not be a popular thing to add to their number. Besides, the birthday of the King falls upon a date which in many parts of Canada is not suitable for holiday making. The 9th of November marks the beginning of winter in such a way as to be covered by nature than the coast regions of British Columbia. Even here the weather is unsettled and unsuitable for the sports which are almost inseparable from the true enjoyment of a public holiday. The average human being of British descent. More than that, our countrymen, thanksgiving season falls late in November, when Christmas and New Year's day are not far off. These are all regarded as fixtures in our system. No one would suggest the elimination of any of them, and to project another day of rejoicing or thanksgiving within the cluster would be apt to meet with general condemnation. After mature deliberation the permanent maintenance of Victoria Day in Canada, in honor and in memory of her who "wrought her people lasting good" by her example in right living and in her devotion to duty, whether of state or of the home, and also in honor of the son who now reigns in her stead and has proved himself a wise, prudent and accomplished head of the nation, has been decided upon.

**THE POPULAR POLICY.**  
A good deal of ranting has been indulged in with regard to the obstructive tactics of the opposition in the Legislature. It will probably be found that the course of the members will be justified by the results. There are rumors of modifications in the railway bill of such a character as to justify a much more moderate season of obstruction than that which the government has been compelled to face. But if the course of the members of the opposition is so distasteful to the country, why does the government not accept the challenge of the opposition, pass the estimates and such legislation as is absolutely necessary and appeal to the country? No administration ever had so good a chance to secure an extension of power, and we are sure no government was ever more eager for a renewal of its lease. Mr. Macmillan and his followers know they dare not appeal to the people in the present state of affairs. They feel that public sentiment is almost unanimous in its condemnation of them. More than that, the government is doubtful as to the state of mind of some of its own supporters, while it feels that it cannot place much reliance on others upon whom coal will depend for existence, but who were not elected as its supporters. Or if the government considers it would be an unnecessary waste of time and money to test the feeling of the constituency of which it is so confident, why does it not go ahead with its popular policy instead of withholding it and giving substantial ground for the belief that it fully realizes its helplessness? The truth is, our friend the Colonel finds it a harder task to "pull the leg" of a Legislature which stands in awe of its constituents than it was to fool the people of Victoria.

**GRAVE AND REVEREND LEGISLATORS.**  
One would scarcely think it to look at them, but our representatives in the Legislature comprise the finest collection of good, good boys that was ever assembled under one roof. Like little Charlie Reid, they never chew tobacco, for 'tis a filthy weed, and the aroma which proceeds from My Lady Nicotine is to them an abomination. One is in favor of the suppression of all smoking in public places. His pure, clean "ingards" rebel at the thought of the depths of filthiness to which some of the unwashed allow themselves to sink in their worship of this vaporous god. If we might be permitted to make a suggestion, the honorable members should introduce a bill compelling every devotee of the weed to consume his own smoke, after the manner of the great factory chimneys which in some places were wont to prove themselves a public nuisance.

At the same time it might be as well to review the social situation generally and strike a good hard blow at all manner of abominations. It is said language as vile as the odor of the strongest piñata is sometimes used by the ill-bred and low-minded. It has even been hinted that within the sacred precincts of the House members—mind you, legislators—have been heard to express themselves in words the reverse of classical, to "coin" sentences—nothing milder than high school, of something, applied to the source from which thoughts proceed and to the organs which give them utterance, could possibly draw the effluvia of. It is also said numbers have been known to partake too freely of the cup that is not content with merely cheering up the mind and producing a condition of general physical exhilaration. No one who has viewed the members from the galleries will believe any of these slanders. No, not John Balfour cannot be blamed for the occasional ebullitions of fire in the burning mountain of legislative wisdom and propriety which has been struggling for three months to do business over the bay, and has at last settled down as a sort of moral censor upon the struggling, working masses of British Columbia. But the programme of the reformers does not cover enough ground. Weak youth should not only be guarded from the blandishments of the seductive cigarette. None of us hopes to approach the average legislator in strength to resist temptation. Stop the sale of intoxicating drinks as well as the consumption of the dangerous weed; but before attempting to proceed any further with the comedy clear the galleries. Their occupants may not be strong enough to resist the temptation to once more break into laughter at the gravity with which these great moral censors proceed about their business.

**THE HORSES' LATEST SUCCESSORS.**  
The sight of an automobile on streets which have hitherto been held sacred to the hoofs of the fiery quadruped and the whirling wheels of the untamed scorchers reminds us that these, to us, new-fangled machines have been creating a great deal of trouble in such seething centers as New York. A great part of the newspapers of the metropolis is taken up with the discussion of measures designed to protect a public which persists in getting in the way of these rushing twentieth century vehicles or with descriptions of the mad races mounted policemen have in overtaking and arresting the fleeing machines and their occupants. It is a curious circumstance that the drivers of these autos as soon as they set their hands upon the throttles, whatever the correct designation of the controlling valves may be, seem to be seized by an irresistible desire to "let her flicker" to the limit. All ordinances in regard to speed and other inconvenient limitations are temporarily forgotten until "something happens," either in the form of the killing of a rambling child who had no business on the streets, or when his elders were on pleasure bent or in the uniform of a policeman, who drags what remains of the outfit along with its occupants to the station and registers the usual charge against them. Is it not strange that the spirit of the scorchers, just exorcised from the bicycle, who is now as law-abiding and as respectful of the rights of the insignificant pedestrian as anyone on wheels could be expected to be, should have taken possession of the automobilist? The latter is a much more difficult subject of deal with, too. He does not get out of breath in a race with a too-petulant policeman. He has at his service lungs more powerful than those of the greatest racer that ever breathed, and he seems to take pleasure in the consternation and devastation he creates. Most remarkable of all, in nearly all the cases so far recorded the demagogue has proved to be a broker. Probably he is merely preying on the streets his plunging tactics on the exchange, or it may be that he is a representative of the only class that can yet afford to indulge in the pleasures of "running" an "auto."

The people of Victoria are no doubt almost unanimously in favor of holding an annual exhibition, but they are decidedly opposed to the encouragement of a belief that they can be depended on to make good an annual deficit on account of the show. We see no reason why the receipts and expenditures should not be made to balance. There should be a common sense regulation of the expenditure that shall be made.

come within the compass of the other. Our pernicious habit of extravagance in connection with public undertakings of all kinds should be rooted out without delay or enterprises of value to us as a people, such as the exhibition, will be regarded by the public with such suspicion as will condemn them to years of struggling against adverse circumstances. Why the receipts and expenditures of our exhibition should not be made to balance, taking one year with another is something we cannot understand. Our cynical contemporary the Hamilton Times remarks: The old city of Coventry has decided to celebrate the coronation by having a procession to celebrate the chief event in the city's history—the act of Lady Godiva, who rode naked through the town in order to free the people from an intolerable tax. The city authorities hope that some lady will volunteer to impersonate Godiva in the procession. They should consider that when the original Godiva made her historic ride the people kept indoors and shut their windows. If the mock Godiva is expected to carry out the programme literally, she ought to have the advantage of the same conditions. But we don't think the Coventry authorities could guarantee that those conditions would be strictly observed. They had better call off their celebration.

The editor of the Times has received a very cordial invitation to attend the Victoria Day celebration in Nanaimo. If we were not assured of such an unprecedented good time at home during the same season, we should be only too pleased to accept.

**WEATHER BULLETIN**  
Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, May 20—5 a.m.—The barometer is slowly falling along the coast, while east of the Rockies there is a general wind and rain storm across the Territories to Manitoba and throughout the adjoining states. Swift current reports over one inch of rain in 24 hours. The weather has been generally fair and the winds light to moderate along the coast from Vancouver Island to California.

**Forecast.**  
For 24 hours ending 5 p.m. Wednesday. Victoria and vicinity—Moderate to fresh winds, chiefly southerly, generally fair, followed by showers on Wednesday.

Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, fair, followed by occasional rains to-night or on Wednesday.

—See the latest styles in pretty red chairs and odd rockers in Weiler's Broughton street show windows.

—1,000 Men's Suits and Tweed Caps, 10c each, at The Mammoth Bankrupt Clothing Sale, 111 Government St.

—Today was an off-day in legal circles. There was but one application on the Chamber list, and this was struck out as no one appeared in support of the summons.

—One of the Japanese passengers of the steamer Kinsu Maru, quarantined at William Head, died of heart trouble last night. The crew and remaining passengers will leave the station to-morrow morning, the Shinko Maru being held for their accommodation.

—The funeral of the late Kate Agnes Stroud took place to-day from the Victoria undertaking parlors, and later from St. Andrew's cathedral. There was a large attendance, and the floral designs were numerous. The pallbearers were: J. Murray, R. Wallace, J. Meldrum, J. H. Hulbert, Capt. Brown and J. Wolfenden.

—As there seems to be some doubt as to the date of the gun shoot to be held in connection with the celebrations, those interested wish it stated that the event, it has been decided, will be held on Saturday, May 24th. A great deal of interest is being taken in the event by local as well as outside shots, and keen competition is expected.

—Men's and Boys' Straw Hats, 10c each, at The Mammoth Bankrupt Clothing Sale, 111 Government St.

—The men selected to represent this city on the Canadian coronation contingent will leave on Saturday, Lieut. Col. Holmes having received word to this effect from Ottawa to-day. The other British Columbia members of the contingent will connect with the train leaving Vancouver on Sunday. This news will be received with unqualified satisfaction by the Victorians, who will thus be enabled to take in the celebration. Besides those already mentioned, Capt. Alexis Martin, as was announced in a dispatch to the Times from Ottawa last night, will accompany the contingent.

—N. C. Goodwin and Miss Maxine Elliott, who appear here on Thursday night, will cover all the important centers between the Atlantic and offer their greatest success. "When We Were Twenty-one," which has won from critics wherever presented the highest accolades. The two co-stars in it have achieved individual successes of exceptional artistic value. Mr. Goodwin plays an oldish bachelor, devoted to the well being of his dead friend's son and oblivious to the love of a young girl near him. In this he shows his undisputed art in his best phase. The opportunities afforded to Miss Elliott by the dramatist are quite as telling as Mr. Goodwin's, and the manner in which she acquires herself in what is admittedly her best role entitles her to an equal share of the honors. The sale of seats commenced this morning at 9 o'clock. Long before that time a long row of eager ones stretched out to the sidewalk and Mr. Henderson behind the counter had an interesting time indeed. By noon every seat was sold.

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**Clocks, Clocks, Clocks.**  
We have just opened a new stock of mantle clocks in bronze, marble and polished wood cases, all of which are guaranteed to be good timekeepers, and the prices low. Also a few of the new electric clocks, which, when once put in place and started, require no winding nor attention for eighteen months. They are worth inspection.  
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10 lbs. FRESH BUTTER ..... \$2.70  
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**HARDRESS CLARKE, 86 DOUGLAS STREET**  
**PROPOSED BY-LAWS.**  
Six of them to be dealt with by Council on Wednesday.  
Last night when "by-laws" was reached on the city council's order paper, there were six of them awaiting consideration. It was eleven o'clock, and the suggestion to extend the time not meeting with favor, an adjournment was taken until Wednesday night, when the by-laws will be taken up. There is one by-law, Cameron to alter the names of certain streets of the city, another by-law, Williams regarding the hours during which children of tender years may be on the streets without their parents or guardians, and one by-law, Worthington repealing By-law No. 384, relating to wood sawing upon the streets and substituting other provisions. There are also three by-laws fathered by Mayor Hayward dealing with the Carnegie donation of \$20,000 for a library in this city. This was explained in these columns when notice of the by-law was posted. In connection with the wood sawing by-law, the enactment to be considered is practically a new one, although adhering to the principal of the by-law recently passed. It has been drawn up in consequence of the protest lodged by a deputation of wood dealers with the council some days ago, who claimed that the by-law which had just taken effect worked a hardship on them; that it would be impossible for them to deliver the wood within so large a district as that specified before 5 a.m., and they asked for an extension of the time. They also asked that purchasers of the wood be made responsible for its removal within the time required, and that the hours governing the delivery of wood on the streets outside the limits be extended to twenty-four.

**ALL CLAIMS**  
"HOLYWOOD."  
O. H. LINDSAY, Master.  
All claims against the above vessel must be forwarded to the office of the undersigned on or before Thursday, May 22nd, 1902.  
R. P. RITCHEY & CO., LTD., Agents.

**VICTORIA THEATRE**  
**THURSDAY, MAY 22.**  
The Fashionable Event This Season.  
**MR. N. C. GOODWIN, MISS MAXINE ELLIOTT.**  
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As played 105 nights at the Comedy Theatre, London, £2,000, \$1,500 and 50c. Seats on sale Tuesday, 5 p.m.

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**SPENCER'S**  
**NEW TO-DAY.**  
**Ladies' Fawn and Black Cloth**  
**Tailored Costumes**  
Neatly corseted and trimmed with satin piping, quite new styles, \$20 and \$25  
Navy Blue Worsted Diagonal Skirts, trimmed, satin stitched, grand value for \$6  
**Girls' Dresses**  
Sizes 6 to 14 Years  
New Gibson Styles, Russian Blouse Styles, Sailor Styles.  
Various materials, Zephyrs in plain colors and neat checks; Pique in white and Art Shades; Linen Crash, White Lawn; prices range from \$1 to \$5.50  
**Ladies' Waists**  
Japanese Silk Blouses, some with real lace yokes, tucked sleeves; some covered with tucks and real lace insertion; prices from \$8.50 to \$25  
These are made in Paris—such dainty garments are made nowhere else.  
In the Cloak Department are Dress Skirts to match.  
Several cases of Ladies' Shirt Waists have been opened lately. Prominent styles are the Gibson and Sailor Effects; prices, \$1.25 to \$3.50

**Little Children's Coats**  
Of Pique, White and Art Shades, trimmed embroidery at \$1.50 to \$2.50  
**Silk Embroidered Waist Patterns**  
Just one of a sort, sufficient material and trimming to make blouse complete; newest shades; prices, \$8.50 to \$12.50  
**Children's Regulation Man-o'-War Hats**  
English made, the correct style and good value, 50c, 75c, \$1 to \$1.50 each  
**Children's Summer Hats and Bonnets**  
A very large assortment; in fact, the most attractive we ever offered.  
**More Straw Hats For Men**  
See Windows to-day. Latest New York styles.  
Men's Outing Hats, 25c and 50c.  
**Men's Flannel Suits, English Goods**  
Men's Flannel Pants, extra fine quality.  
**New Laces, Ties and Collars**  
Opened this morning, New Twine Color Laces and Insertions, 20c to 65c a yard  
New Twine Color Lace Ties and Collars, a splendid assortment; prices, 35c to \$1.50  
Featherbone Stock Foundation Collars, black and white, all sizes, 20c.  
Clifton Foundation Collars, featherbone braided, black and white, 50c.  
Canvas Collar shapes, black and white and drab, 5c each

**SAUNDERS'**  
For quality, for quantity, for variety, for lowness of price, this store eclipses all others in the city. Every thrifty housekeeper is a good judge of values. A personal inspection will convince you that every item described below is an actual money saving bargain.  
CHICKEN TAMALES ..... 15c  
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Valuable City Lot, situated in Victoria West, east of Pine Street.  
Lot in townships of Sidney, size 90x120. Title good.  
Very good 2-ton Sloop, clinker built, with deck house, sails, anchor, etc., etc.  
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Also a very desirable and useful baby will be sold. Four-wheeled buggy and baby buggies, etc., etc.  
Tel. 294. Terms cash.  
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**REMOVAL.**  
**Ledingham & Christie,**  
Carriage Builders, have removed from Flinders street to their NEW BRICK BUILDING, 71 CORMORANT STREET, above Douglas.  
Entries for Double Scull races, with lady coxswain, at Regatta, must be handed into Secretary not later than Thursday, 22nd May, at 12 noon.  
All entries for Rifle Shooting, Yacht Racing and Trap Shooting must be sent in to the Secretaries of the respective clubs.  
W. C. MORESBY, Secretary.



**Cascara, Burdock and Celery Tonic Bitters**  
Cyrus H. Bowes, CHEMIST.  
\$1.00 per Bottle.  
A Spring Tonic of Great Merit.  
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## Mount Sicker Camp.

NOW IS YOUR CHANCE

To be in on the ground floor, as this district cannot fail to become the largest camp in B. C.  
The Copper Canyon Mine, by the last few strikes of very rich ore, has proved to be on the same ledge as the Lenora and Tyee Mines.  
A LIMITED AMOUNT of treasury stock of the Mount Sicker & Brenton Mining Co. will be sold at 5c. per share (par value 25c.), in fact JUST ENOUGH to complete the working and start the mine shipping. As soon as this occurs you will find it difficult to purchase the stock at par.  
Apply to  
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### SHEFFIELD CUTLERY STORE

Pocket Cutlery, Table Cutlery, Razors, Scissors, Shaving Outfits, in large variety.  
**FISHING TACKLE**  
We have everything from the cheapest to the best. EXTRA ROD TIPS AND POINTS MADE TO ORDER, AT  
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It will stop that cough. Made only by  
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The body of Heathcote, a member of the Mounted Police, who was drowned in the Stikine river in December last, has been found at the mouth of the river, and has been buried at Wrangell.

Steamer Majestic will make an extra trip this week as she will run on Friday, the day she usually lays off. The owners anticipate a big trade between Victoria and the Sound during the celebrations.

The regular monthly conference of the union grade teachers was held yesterday. To-day the intermediate grade teachers meet, and to-morrow the senior grade teachers will confer together.

The first-class petty officers of H. M. S. Grafton treated themselves to a dinner and smoking concert at the Coach and Horses last week. The chair was occupied by J. W. May, ship's corporal, who was supported by Sergt-Major Churchard, of the Marines. There was an excellent musical programme, and a very enjoyable evening was spent by those present.



### A Tempting Assortment of Biscuits

Christie's Water Ice, Strawberry, Rutila and Chocolate Wafers, Lemon, Strawberry and Almond Biscuits, Scotch, Marie, Dessert, Marsh Mallow Fingers, Coconut Bars, etc. Christie's and Patterson's Sodas in tins. Our stock is always in the best condition. "Fresh and Crisp."  
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At a meeting of retail clerks held in the Labor hall last night it was decided to form an association to be affiliated with the Retail Clerks' International Protective Association.

### LAWN TENNIS GOODS

Just received a large supply of Ayres' and Wright and Ditson's Tennis Rackets and Balls.  
**JOHN BARNESLEY & CO.**  
115, Government Street.

### CITY NEWS IN BRIEF.

#### TERRY & MARETT, Druggists.

We should be pleased to be your Chemist and to add your name to our list of satisfied patrons. Our claim for this is "THE BEST" that can possibly be given in quality, accuracy, skill and promptness.  
S. E. COLE, PORT AND DOUGLAS STS.

1,000 Men's Serge and Tweed Caps, 10c. each, at The Mammoth Bankrupt Clothing Sale, 111 Government St.

THIS IS THE LAST DAY BUT one for Corona Plantino photos at the reduced price, \$4.00 per dozen. Did you sit yet? Skene Lowe's studio.

For the shoot at Clover Point on Friday eight markers and eight register keepers are required. Names may be left with Sergt. Lettice, 40 Fort street. Members of the Fifth Regiment will have the first opportunity.

Weekly excursions to Port Angeles, Port Townsend and Seattle on steamers Rosalie and Majestic. One fare for round trip. Return tickets good on either steamer, on sale Saturdays and Sundays. E. E. Blackwood, Agent.

On and after the 19th May, during the alterations to the building of the Bank of British North America, on Yates street, the bank will occupy the premises at 45 Government street, between Redfern's and Challenor & Mitchell's jewelry stores.

A roof fire at the Provincial Royal Jubilee hospital gave the fire department a long run this morning. The blaze was in the roof of the northwest wing, and was caused by sparks from a chimney. It was extinguished by the hospital staff with their own apparatus before the arrival of the department.

Lycium Theatre To-night.—First appearance in Victoria, direct from the Claret theatre, San Francisco, of Mr. Frank Hall, the English lion tamer, in his startling act, subjugating "Wallace," the untamable lion and the largest and most ferocious forest-bred lion in captivity, and also most daring act ever attempted by any human being.

A drunk was fined \$2.50 or five days' imprisonment in the police court this morning. An elderly man named Preece was charged with assaulting his wife. The case was remanded until Monday next. Rose Demere was charged with being an inmate of a house of ill-fame, but did not appear, and a warrant was issued for her arrest. Pansy, another of the same character, was called for vagrancy. She also did not appear and a warrant was issued for her arrest.

Handsome cups are being given by the Canadian Kennel Club for championships under their rules, and Charles Minor has received one for his English setter Roy Monte. This dog is now a champion under both the Canadian and American rules, having won four times in the winners' class in shows held under the auspices of clubs of both countries. The secretary, in a letter to Mr. Minor, says the Canadian Kennel Club will give cups and medals to any club holding field trials in Canada.

Serious tenders addressed "Inspectors of Penitentiaries, Ottawa," and endorsed "Tender for Supplies," will be received until Monday, 16th of June, inclusive, from parties desirous of contracting for supplies for the fiscal year 1902-1903, for the following institutions, namely: Kingston penitentiary, St. Vincent de Paul penitentiary, Dorchester penitentiary, Manitoba penitentiary, British Columbia penitentiary, Regina jail, Prince Albert jail. Separate tenders will be received for each of the following classes of supplies: Flour (Canadian strong baker's), beef and mutton (freshest), forage, coal (anthracite and bituminous), cordwood, groceries, coal oil (in barrels), dry goods, drugs and medicines, leather and findings, hardware, tinware, paints, etc., and lumber.

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### TO-DAY IS CHILDREN'S DAY

AT THE WESTSIDE A Handsome Gem Stick Pin will be given away to every little girl visiting The Westside to-day, accompanied by their parents or guardian.

## THE WESTSIDE WEDNESDAY'S SPECIALS!!



### Extraordinary Values in Ladies' Parasols.

The Westside presents to your notice to-morrow three of the most magnificent lots of New, Stylish and Fashionable Parasols it has ever had the good fortune to call your attention to.  
AT \$1.00, LADIES' WHITE MERCERIZED SATIN PARASOLS, with white Channel Wood Handles. SPECIAL WEDNESDAY.  
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AT \$1.50, LADIES' STYLISH MERCERIZED SATIN PARASOLS, Fancy Striped Effects, with Duty Fancy Wood Handles. SPECIAL WEDNESDAY \$1.00.

### ANOTHER SHIRT WAIST EVENT

Another interesting event takes place in our Ladies' Shirt Waist Department to-morrow. It is the offer of one of the most beautiful lots of Ladies' Shirt Waists ever produced at the price.

LADIES' HANDSOME MUSLIN SHIRT WAISTS, cut and finished in the latest style; they have stylish full fronts and come in exquisite shades and designs. Regular value each, SPECIAL WEDNESDAY, 50c. and 75c.  
WHITE ORGANDIE BLOUSES, at 50c. and 75c.

### Dress Skirt Prices

To-morrow

LADIES' WHITE TIQUE SKIRTS, cut full, with deep bust. Regular value \$1.50 each. SPECIAL TO-MORROW, EACH \$1.00.

LADIES' WHITE FANCY FIGURE DRESS SKIRTS, beautiful designs, stylishly cut. Regular \$1.50. SPECIAL TO-MORROW, \$1.25.

### Millinery Specials!

The blaze of beauty that bursts to view as you enter this section of the Westside fills one with awe and admiration, surprise and delight, at such marvellous conception.

\$2.00 PATTERN HATS AT \$1.25. All our Paris, New York and London Millinery Importations which sell at \$2.00 will be cleared to-morrow at \$1.25.

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Everything choice in straw headwear is here. Cool, crisp, coarse brands for men.

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Fancy or plain bands. Boys' straws too.

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**W. G. Cameron,**  
Victoria's Cheapest Cash Clothier, 55 Johnson Street.

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Steamer Champion came in this morning with a big load of hay from Mud Bay.

The new steamers Mount Royal and Venture are rapidly nearing completion in the upper harbor. The former had her smoke stack installed this morning.

Celebration Bargain Days, Wednesday and Thursday, at The Mammoth Bankrupt Clothing Sale, 111 Government St. Read their new ad. in to-day's issue.

Travel from the Sound has increased materially during the past few days, and the hotels are all well filled with American tourists. A. D. Benton and J. E. Cochrane, of Chicago; W. H. Pearson and wife, of Toronto, are among those at the Victoria hotel, while at the Dominion hotel are registered C. F. Swanberg and wife, and Wallace W. Clark and wife, of Seattle.

The chief of the fire department is superintending the street decorations for the celebration committee. Flags, banners, and red, white and blue streamers, together with Japanese lanterns, are being erected to add the required air of gaiety to the principal streets, and strings of electric lamps will brighten them at night. The decorations of the city hall will be made a special feature of the occasion.

The regular meeting of Court Vancouver, No. 5,755, A. O. F., took place last evening in the K. of P. hall, when there was a fairly good attendance. After routine business, including the receiving of applications and the balloting for candidates, the first semi-monthly drawing was held. This is a new scheme devised for the purpose of making the attendance at the meetings larger. All present hereafter will participate in the drawing, and the membership fees of the winner are paid for the month. The lucky person last evening was W. Clark.

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100 Men's 50c Straw Hats, Celebration Bargain Price ... 25c

125 dozen Men's Black and Brown, Seamless Cotton Sox, worth 15c a pair; Wednesday and Thursday's Price ... 3 pair for 25c

100 pair Men's Tan and Black Shoes, worth \$3.00; Bankrupt Sale Price...\$1.95

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## WILL NOT TAKE CHARGE OF SHOW

SO COUNCIL DECIDED YESTERDAY EVENING

Preferred Not to Assume Financial Responsibility for Exhibition—H. P. Bell to Prepare Bridge Plan.

The city council sat until 11 o'clock last night, and one city father so far forgot himself as to suggest that the time be extended. This attempt to emulate the local legislature met with the unsuccess it richly merited, the council preferring to finish business at another session to desecrating the midnight hour in debate say, for instance, on the Wood-sawing by-law.

The deputy minister of marine and fisheries informed the council that the Victoria Machine depot had applied for a water lot in front of their establishment at the head of the harbor. Accompanying the communication was a plan of the place, showing the concession applied for. Referred to a special committee and the city engineer for report. Aids, Yates, Grahame and Vincent were appointed to be the committee.

W. Jackson, secretary of the World's Exhibition, invited the council to the anniversary service to be held in the Victoria theatre on the afternoon of Sunday, June 28. The invitation was accepted.

Jas. Fletcher, secretary Victoria Gun Club, asked permission to use a portion of Beacon Hill park for the gun tournament during the approaching celebration. Permission was granted.

Ed. Mohan submitted a design and the accompanying letter for a bridge at Point Ellice estimated cost of which was \$104,000.

Gentlemen: I beg to hand you herewith a blue print of a design for Point Ellice bridge. It differs from the one I had previously the honor to submit, in that the waterway and headway have been increased.

There are two main spans of 164 feet each and two side spans of 90 feet each. I have taken out the quantities carefully and a fair contract price at present rates should not exceed \$104,000, to which must be added five per cent for engineering and superintendence, etc.

Bearing in mind the considerable increase in the cost of structural steel during the last year, it is probable that such a bridge would now be cheaper than a steel one, while it would be a permanent structure. There is further more material in this bridge than in other similar ones which have been built in Europe, but I believe in providing for absolute safety under all conditions.

I should be glad to submit the working drawings to any expert in reinforced concrete bridges and to have a competent expert would consider the bridge perfectly safe.

Such a bridge could be easily built in six months.

I have the honor to be, gentlemen, Your obedient servant,  
EDWARD MOHAN, C. E.

Laid on the table pending the receipt of the streets, bridges and sewer committee.

W. M. Wilson offered to lease property at Elk Lake desired by the city for \$150 to \$175 per year, with the option of purchasing it. Referred to the water commissioner for report.

Messrs. Moodie and Whittington offered to pay one-third the cost of extension of the sewer along George street on the local improvement plan. The offer was received, and the writers will be notified that the work will be done provided they contribute \$100 to the cost.

Robertson & Robertson communicated a petition signed by 141 names asking that the section of the city by regulating vehicles, providing that lamps must be carried on bicycles, be repealed. The petitions were received and a conference with the petitioners will be arranged.

Geo. W. Boyd renewed his offer for the sale of his moving pictures. Referred to the Tourist Association.

Thos. Shottell, in a letter addressed to the city engineer, applied for permission to have his name put in the permanent sidewalk in front of his establishment on Johnson street.

Aids, Yates and McCandless were opposed to the principal of allowing names to be put in permanent sidewalks, while Aids, Grahame, Worthington and Cameron favored the application, providing the sidewalk be left in condition satisfactory to the city engineer. Permission was granted.

Usher & Weldon, of the Colonist

hotel, protested against the granting of permits to people to sell soft drinks at Beacon Hill during the coming celebration, claiming that it would be doing them a great injustice. Received and filed, and the writers to be informed that the council does not see fit to depart from its usual practice.

B. Jacobson complained of the stench arising from Pendray's Soap Works, quite apparent crossing James Bay bridge. Referred to the city engineer, who will draw the odor by letting the salt water in on the mud flats.

Jno. H. Dixon applied for the position of the mayor during the absence of Sergt. Lorimer. Referred to the electric light committee.

The city clerk reported that the following applications had been referred to the city engineer: For open drain on Chatham and Lime streets, box drain on Bank street, box drain on Barclay street, plank walk on Clarence street, and several street improvements in Victoria West. Received and filed.

The city solicitor reported adversely on G. C. Mesher's claim regarding the removal of gravel from Battery street, James Bay. Filed, and Mr. Mesher to be informed of the solicitor's report. He also reported that the vending of sweetmeats in the park, while objectionable, could not be prohibited.

The city engineer reported that he had given instructions for the mending of a box drain on Cormorant street at a cost of \$75. Adopted.

The building inspector reported that the cost of sewer extension and connection with the Yates street fire hall would cost \$355. Referred to the streets, bridges and sewers committee.

M. Hufschner, lighting superintendent, recommended that Jas. Greaney be appointed fireman at the lighting station. Adopted.

The same writer enclosed an application for leave of absence from Sergt. Lorimer. Granted, and the superintendent to be instructed to supply the vacancy temporarily.

The sanitary officer explained the circumstances of the quarantining and fumigating of C. E. Thomas's residence. Received and filed, and Mr. Thomas to be supplied with a copy of the report.

Mr. Adam and others asked that the corporation carpenters be allowed an eight-hour day. Referred to streets, bridges and sewer committee.

Aids, Grahame inquired for the city solicitor's report regarding the alien labor clause in the Terminal Railway Act.

The Mayor said that the city solicitor had not yet prepared a report.

Aids, Grahame replied that it was urgent that a report on the subject should be prepared as soon as possible, and an answer sent to the Attorney-General.

The city solicitor will report next Monday night.

Tenders for supplying water meters were read from the following: J. L. Beckwith, \$1,004.50; Wm. Bowness, \$777.55; and 8974; C. G. Henshaw, of Vancouver, \$870.20; and \$702.20; Caldwell Bros., of Tacoma, \$1,146; Henry Darling, Vancouver, \$1,250. Referred to the water commissioner and purchasing agent for report.

J. Reynolds Tite, secretary of the Provincial Rifle Association, inquired if the corporation intended to supply a challenge cup this year as in the past for rifle competition. Referred to the finance committee, who will draw up conditions.

The streets, bridges and sewers committee recommended: 1. That H. P. Bell, C. E., be employed to prepare detailed plans, etc., for a steel superstructure for the Point Ellice bridge. 2. That the city engineer be instructed to proceed with the construction of a concrete sub-structure, faced with granite ashlar; and 3. That the engineer report on the Spencer drain on Yates street.

Aids, Yates moved in amendment that the first clause be struck out and the following substituted: That the city solicitor be instructed to draw up a by-law authorizing the construction of a stone or concrete and steel bridge at a cost not exceeding \$200,000.

In moving this Aids, Yates said he did not think they should ignore the wishes of the ratepayers, who had petitioned the council on the subject. Seconded by A. Worthington.

When the first clause was taken up, Aids, Yates urged his amendment, which was lost on the following division.

Ayes—Aids, Yates, Worthington and Williams.

Nays—Aids, Barnard, Vincent, Grahame, McCandless, Cameron and Kinsman.

Clause one was then put and carried.

Aids, Vincent moved that the second clause be amended providing for the city engineer to prepare estimates and plans for the sub-structure. The clause, as amended, passed.

Clause three passed, and the report complete with amendments was adopted.

A communication from Secretary Rogers of the British Columbia Agricultural Association, brought up the question as to whether the city will assume financial responsibility for the exhibition this year. The association has asked the council to nominate the majority of the executive committee, which appoints the board of management.

Aids, Yates moved that the request of the association be complied with.

The Mayor read the financial statement showing that the receipts of last year's show were \$12,250, and expenditures \$14,250 leaving a deficit of \$2,000.

to have an elaborate show. The whole secret of success was in having a good committee. He was confident of success if the city took charge of the exhibition.

Aids, Cameron did not think it the business of the council to run an agricultural show. If the citizens with the large assistance of the council could not run it, it should be held at a fair.

Aids, Kinsman held that the assumption of financial responsibility by the city would make it difficult to get subscriptions.

Aids, Grahame considered that it would be a fatal mistake for the city to take up the matter.

Aids, McCandless's amendment was lost.

Aids, Barnard then moved in amendment, seconded by Aids, Williams, that the association be informed that the council was unable to assume financial responsibility for the show, but would grant assistance to the extent of \$2,000.

This was lost. Aids, Yates's motion was then put and lost on the following division:

Ayes—Aids, Yates, Vincent, Worthington, Williams and the Mayor.

Nays—Aids, Barnard, Grahame, McCandless, Cameron and Kinsman.

The question therefore remains unchanged.

Six by-laws were lying on each alderman's desk, but the Mayor saw 11 o'clock. One heartless soul moved that the time of the session be extended half an hour. Half past eleven! This was out of the question, as it was felt that six by-laws could not be handled in half an hour, so the council adjourned until Wednesday evening.

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## A VISITING AUTHOR.

"O' wad some Power the giftie gie us To see ourselves as others see us!"—Burns.

The visitors' book in the Tourist Association rooms discloses the simple signature, "Robert Shields." Mr. Shields is a man of letters, at present in Victoria gathering data for a second edition of his book, "My Travels—Visits to Lands Far and Near."

The author's first work, "Better Relations Between Great Britain and America," was well received on both sides of the Atlantic and did his share in forging the strong chain, which binds us as a nation.

Mr. Shields is a Scottish Canadian, a man of keen insight, and a close observer of men and things; born in Dunfermline, in the "Kingdom of Fife," he claims Andrew Carnegie as fellow-townsmen. Yesterday Mr. Shields was in receipt of a letter from the royal palace at Copenhagen conveying to him (through her private secretary) Queen Alexandra's pleasure in perusing his new book, "Travels rapidly over the chapters dealing with the Old Land, the Old States and Shores of Canada, we read with interest what the versatile writer has to say of our own "Outpost of Empire."

"The next point of interest lies on the Island of Vancouver, to the west. One of the lines of steamers seen at the Vancouver docks that which runs regularly to Victoria, the Queen City of the West, as she is deservedly called. Everywhere one sees evidence of wealth and leisure. There are beautiful residences, fine club houses, provision for sporting, handsome outposts—open to the truth in the Victoria man's heart that his city is the most beautiful residential spot in all Canada. One sees the real live 'joss' house here, and might fancy himself in Tien-Tsin, or any other Chinese city."

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### GLENOGLE OVERTOOK OPPOSITION STEAMER

The Shinano Maru Follows Her Closely to Dock—Yosemite Transferred Her Passengers.

With decks crowded with Chinese and Japanese immigrants and their holds filled with Oriental merchandise, the steamers Glenogle, of the Northern Pacific steamship line, and the Shinano Maru, of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha fleet, arrived at the outer wharf this morning. The Glenogle left Yokohama on the 7th inst., and the Shinano Maru took her departure from the same port just 14 hours previously. There was consequently some friendly rivalry between the officers of the big ships. They say there was no race, but some extra fuel was notwithstanding consumed. The Glenogle was pushed to about the extent of her power. She came in a full 20 hours ahead of the new ship of the opposition, making the run in 13 days and 8 hours. Both had smooth passages.

The Glenogle brought for Victoria 700 tons of cargo. Of her Asiatic passengers there were 80 for Victoria and 28 in transit and 10 Japs for this city and 87 for United States ports. Among the saloon passengers were Dr. Law and wife, of Minneapolis, who have been visiting Japan, the former being the son of the assistant general superintendent of the Northern Pacific road; Thomas Skinner, the marine superintendent of the Northern Pacific steamship line, who, with Mrs. Skinner, arrived here to see the coronation; Miss Connor, of San Francisco, who has been visiting Manila friends, and Mrs. Bunting and son, of Vancouver. Mr. Skinner is well known in this city, having at one time been chief engineer on the steamer Victoria. The saloon passengers on the Shinano Maru were: Fred Stahl, C. F. Dalglin, Mrs. Blake and child, Mr. Ewenburg and child, R. Corrie, Mrs. W. M. McKelvey and child, Rev. D. H. Davis, F. M. Bristol, Surgeon-Capt. K. Tamura and T. H. Goller. The Oriental passengers were divided as follows: Thirty-seven Japanese and 132 Chinese for Victoria, and 109 Japanese and 9 Chinese for points beyond.

### THE OPPOSITION LINER

Lower rates occasioned by the steamer Santa Ana's cutting gave the Al-Ki, which sailed on Sunday night from the Sound for Lynn canal, an unusually large number of passengers. One hundred and eighty took passage on her. Of this number it is estimated that over 100 are bound for the Klondike and other interior districts. The Al-Ki's first-class passengers paid all the way from \$7.50 to \$30. Those who purchased during the first day's cut got tickets to Lynn canal for \$7.50. Then the cabin rates jumped to \$15, and later were doubled to \$30, the regular tariff prior to the inauguration of the rate war. When the fight was at its height second class or steerage tickets were sold as low as \$5.

### STORM BOUND.

Though perfectly calm here yesterday, a gale of wind raged on the gulf and at Vancouver. The old steamer Yosemite, which takes the place of the Charmer on Mondays, was the only local craft inconvenienced by the storm. When she reached the Pass last night it was found she could not proceed further without risk, and as the Amur happened along on route north, via Vancouver, the passengers on the one were transferred to the other. The Yosemite waited at the Pass until the wind in the gulf subsided and then continued on the run to Vancouver. She returned to Victoria this morning.

### MARINE NOTES.

The cargo of the steamer Queen, which arrived from San Francisco yesterday, was as follows: 90,863 lbs. dried fruit, 1,900 lbs. butter, 180 lbs. cheese, 10,510 lbs. raisins, 392 lbs. bread, 5,634 lbs. millstuffs, 5,874 lbs. malt, 185 pkgs. fresh vegetables, 508 pkgs. fresh fruit, 204 lbs. ham, 7,856 lbs. beans, 570 bxs. pears, 6 ccs. and 283 gals. wine, 400 lbs. spices, 23 ccs. canned goods, 8,990 lbs. coffee, 15 ccs. and ammunition, 100 tins matches, 30 pkgs. onions, 180 lbs. cocoa, 17 pkgs. hardware, 5 bbls. baking powder, 25 pkgs. groceries and provisions, 5 pkgs. dry goods, 18 bbls. wall paper, 10 pkgs. wire, 1 cc. hats.

British ship Chas. Cotesworth, which left this port for Liverpool on November 5th with \$41,941 cases of salmon, has arrived at Liverpool.

American barque Yosemite, from Newcastle for Quays, on which because of her long trip re-insurance had been quoted at 60 per cent., has arrived safely at her destination.

C. P. R. bulletin reports the arrival of the steamer Tunisian at Mobile at noon on the 15th. The Tunisian arrived at Quebec at 4 a. m. on Monday.

## Provincial News

### NANAIMO.

At the Presbyterian manse on Saturday, by Rev. W. B. Cumming, Samuel B. Shoultice, conductor on E. & N. railway, was united in marriage to Miss Laila Bushby, both of Ladysmith. John Dunbar was groomsmen and Catherine Tovey bridesmaid.

Four masted schooner, Wm. H. Smith, Capt. Smith, was towed here by the tug Sea Lion from Port Townsend on Sunday night. She is taking a cargo of 850 tons of coal for St. Michael.

### NELSON.

The body of Albert Edward Mayo, a young Englishman, aged 20, was found in the water a short distance from the shore on Monday morning. On the beach was an upset canoe. The last seen of Mayo alive was when he had visited a ranch Sunday morning to procure some groceries. He had only been in the country three weeks, and it was his first experience in a canoe. On his way back to where he was stopping at a neighboring ranch, he had evidently upset the canoe, and not being able to swim drowned within 20 feet of shore. City firms have received a contract for supplies for building a cranial plant at the Second Recluse mine near Eden. The mine at present has a mill with a capacity of 50 tons, which does not secure enough of the gold values, and the cyaniding plant will take its place.

### VANCOUVER.

The council of the board of trade yesterday passed the following resolution: "That in the opinion of this council it is deemed inadvisable, in view of existing conditions, to make any alteration in order-in-council allowing American steamers to call at Canadian ports." It was decided to send a copy of the resolution to the Victoria Board of Trade.

A windstorm swept over the city and harbor on Sunday, causing many minor accidents. Capt. Johnson, of the Capitan, was caught in a skiff in English bay in a squall, and was rescued by a passing steamer with great difficulty. Herbert Austin's yacht capsized and threw Mr. Austin in the inlet. A passing tug saved him. Another sailboat capsized in the middle of the inlet, the occupants were saved by a tug, which put out from Moodyville. Steamer Caesar could not land her passengers at Van Alnda, owing to the storm, and had to return with them.

## No Respector of Rank.

Disease Lays Its Heavy Hand On Kings, Princes, Presidents, the Noble and Wealthy as well as on Those of Low Estate.

## Paine's Celery Compound

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Sickness, disease and suffering respect neither ruler or subject. The noted and high-born have their trials and sufferings like those in humbler stations. Social standing and wealth cannot bar the progress of disease when the common rules of health are violated. Impure blood and weak nerves are responsible for many of the common diseases of life. The experienced physician will tell you that men and women with pure, clear, coursing blood and well braced nerves, can never become victims of rheumatism, neuralgia, liver troubles, debility, headaches or sleeplessness. It follows therefore, that sufferers from any of the ailments referred to, should at once take proper measures to cleanse the blood and feed the weak nervous system with proper nourishment.

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Mr. B. Hutchins, one of the most prominent Real Estate men in Montreal, says: "About five years ago I wrote you a letter acknowledging the wonderful effect your Paine's Celery Compound had upon me after I had given it a fair trial; that it cured me entirely of neuralgia in the head for which I had suffered most fearfully for over fifty years, and also that it cured me of rheumatism in my limbs. In fact it removed every pain in my body and made me feel 25 years younger. I have not had a return of my old complaint, and therefore have to confirm all the statements I have ever made respecting your Compound."

### PASSENGERS.

Per steamer Majestic from the Sound—Mrs. Heyner, Capt. J. B. Libby, S. Allen, W. A. Young, Jas. Hand, W. O. Noll, J. Irvine, P. O'Brien, H. G. Sandstrom, A. Turgeon, J. P. Arnold, B. B. Henson, A. P. Jones, G. Krund, H. Deerman, C. Morene, G. A. Thompson, J. H. Crickson, M. O'Keefe, J. Coyne, E. Shaw, A. P. Good, R. Shand, F. N. Ward, W. Trail, H. Connors, C. Matson, W. H. Pearson and wife, Miss Masham, A. Curtis, Geo. W. Carter and wife, J. Jardine, G. W. Johnson, Miss Berman, A. H. Backus, J. Blodgett, E. J. Smith, W. E. Fisher, D. Brice, C. D. Brenton, J. J. Cochran, G. W. Erickson, T. Crawford, Jas. Gould, Miss Carr.

### CONSIGNEES.

Per steamer Majestic from the Sound—Vic. P. & P. Co., D. Spencer, B. C. Rice, R. P. Bithet & Co., A. R. Johnston, Charley Oytang, F. C. Davidge & Co., B. Williams & Co., H. Young & Co., Wilson Bros., L. Goodacre, G. E. Munro & Co., Miller & Richards, W. & J. Wilson.



## SPORTING

### BASEBALL.

SOMETHING ABOUT THE VISITORS.

The University of California baseball team will be the next nine to try conclusions with the Victorians, playing here on Friday and Saturday of this week. These games will be features of this year's celebration.

The visitors are well known to have the best amateur nine in California, having won the College championship and defeated the best amateur teams, as well as the San Francisco professional league team. The latter they defeated by the score of 7 to 8. The team played twenty games this spring, losing but two of them, and these by the close score of 2 to 1 and 3 to 2. The members of the team are students of the University. The oldest is twenty-two years of age and the youngest eighteen. They carry three pitchers on the team, Overall, Williams and Smith, the latter being also change catcher. Of these Overall is rated the best pitcher in California. He is a giant in size, standing six feet two inches in his stockings, and weighing, when in condition, 215 lbs. He is a fine all-around ball player and a very heavy batter. Williams, although not so well known and not as large a man, is also a very good pitcher. Jansing and Broadhurst, of the Vancouver team, have both faced Williams and Overall, and they both consider Williams the better pitcher of the two. Smith is also quite a heavyweight, being a champion football player. Of his pitching much is known, he having led the ball team but recently. The complete lineup of the team will be made known shortly.

In the meantime the locals are having hard practice every evening at Oak Bay. The boys are determined to win these games, and it is to be hoped that their streak of bad luck will leave them and Fame Fortune once more commence to smile on them.

### LACROSSE.

#### SATURDAY'S GAME.

One of the most interesting events in connection with the celebration will be the championship lacrosse match on Saturday morning, when the local team meets the champions from the Fraser river. The match on Saturday last showed that the local boys are in very good shape, but they lost no time in getting in more practice. The full team being out last night, the Fraser Westchester team will be practically the same as will go East after the Minto cup, and they will make a hard fight to win, so as to go with a clean sheet. It is quite likely that the local team will be strengthened by the addition of C. Galt, F. Smith and K. Schindler, who, with the others who made up the team at Nanaimo, will make a hard combination to beat, and they will make a determined effort to lower the colors of the champions on Saturday.

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### CONSIGNEES' NOTICE.

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O. H. LINDEN, Master.  
FROM LIVERPOOL.

"This vessel commenced discharging cargo at the outer wharf Saturday morning, May 10th, and following days. Consignees are requested to present bills of lading at the office of the undersigned, pay freight, and receive orders for their goods. All goods remaining on the wharf after 5 o'clock each day, and while on the wharf, will be at the risk of the consignees thereof respectively, and may be stored at their expense."

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### "Municipal Clauses Act."

Notice is hereby given that at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the City of Victoria, B. C., I shall apply for a transfer of the license now held by me to sell spirituous and fermented liquors in the Victoria theatre building, situate on the southwest corner of View and Douglas streets, in the City of Victoria aforesaid, being the premises known as the Imperial Hotel, from myself to Van Bicklin.

Dated this 20th day of May, 1902.  
O. R. BROWN.

## CAUTION.

Notice is hereby given that John Mitchell, butcher, is not authorized to sell a score (or more) belonging to me, at present in his possession.

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Victoria, B. C., May 1st, 1902.

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Notice is hereby given that I, Robert B. McClelland, of the City of Victoria, B. C., will apply at the next sitting of the Board of License Commissioners, to be held on the 11th day of June, A. D. 1902, for a transfer of the license to sell wines, spirits and liquors by retail on the premises known as the "Queen's Hotel," situate on the S. W. corner of Johnson and Store streets, Victoria, B. C., to Jacob M. Hughes, of the same place.

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### NOTICE.

All mineral rights are reserved by the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway Company within that tract of land bounded on the south by the south boundary of Ocean District, on the east by the British Columbia, on the north by the south boundary of the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway Land Grant, and on the west by the boundary of the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway Land Grant.

LEONARD E. BULLY, LAND COMMISSIONER.

## Sale of City Real Estate by Tender.

### Estate of Esther Riley, Deceased

By order of the Executors, that desirable property known as Lot 53, Block 23, situate on Fort street, near Blanchard, the buildings whereon are known as Nos. 85 and 87 Fort street, is offered for sale by tender. Sealed tenders therefor addressed to the undersigned, from whom all particulars as to title, rentals, etc., can be obtained, will be received up to noon of Wednesday, May 21st instant. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted, the executors reserving full power to deal with all tenders in their absolute discretion as they may be advised.

HUGHES & ELIOTT, Law Chambers, Bastion Street, Victoria, B. C., 12th May, 1902.

## TENDERS

Will be received up to 4 p. m. on Friday, 23rd inst., for erection of a brick or stone building on corner of Blanchard and Pandora streets for the Congregational church.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of Mr. George Carter, Broad St. Tenders must be properly sealed, endorsed "Tender for Church Building," and addressed to "The Building Committee, Congregational Church, care of George Carter, Broad Street." The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

WM. SCOWCROFT, Secretary.

May 12th, 1902.

## Tenders Wanted.

For the erection of six to fifteen dwelling houses at Crofton, B. C. Plans and specifications can be seen next Tuesday at the office of the undersigned. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

APPLY TO THE SIOUX OPPORTUNITY MINING COMPANY, LIMITED, Non-Personal Liability, Macgregor Block, Victoria.

## Victoria Water Works

Attention is called to Sections 22 and 23 of "The Waterworks Regulation By-Law, 1902," No. 245, which reads as follows: "No person shall sprinkle or use in any manner whatsoever the water supplied by the city upon lawns, gardens, yards or grounds of any description, except between the hours of 8 and 9 in the morning, and the hours of 5 and 10 in the evening, for the water so used shall be supplied by meter. If water (except water supplied by meter) is used for watering lawns or grounds at other than the permitted hours, there shall be charged against the person so using such water the sum of fifty cents for each infraction, but this provision shall in no way prejudice any proceedings for enforcing the penalties attached to any infraction of this By-Law."

JAS. L. RAYMUR, Water Commissioner.

City Hall, 6th May, 1902.

## Court of Revision

Notice is hereby given that the first sitting of the annual Court of Revision of the Municipality of the City of Victoria will be held in the Council Chambers, City Hall, Douglas street, Victoria, on Tuesday, the 17th day of June, 1902, at 10 a. m., for the purpose of hearing complaints against the assessment as made by the Assessor, and for revising and correcting the Assessment Roll.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. G.

Victoria, B. C., 15th day of May, 1902.

## MUNICIPAL.

### Trades' Licenses

The undersigned requests that all parties who have failed to attend to his notice of 2nd instant respecting the above licenses will do so immediately, to prevent trouble and expense.

THE LICENSES ARE DUE AND PAYABLE IN ADVANCE ON THE 10th JANUARY AND 10th JULY, and for the future to be paid at the City Treasurer's office.

CHAR. KENT,

City Hall, Victoria, B. C., April 21, 1902.

### NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that it is my intention to apply at the next sitting of the Licensing Court for a transfer to William Reid of the license now held by me, to sell spirituous and fermented liquors by retail, upon the premises known as the "Queen's Hotel," situate on the S. W. corner of Johnson and Store streets, in the City of Victoria.

JOSEPH BALL,

Dated the 18th day of April, 1902.

### Notice.

Notice is hereby given that application will be made by the Board of License Commissioners at its next session for a transfer in J. J. Fitzgerald of the license now held by me for the sale of wine, spirits and liquors by retail upon the premises known as the "Teignmouth Hotel," situate at No. 40 Store street, Victoria, B. C.

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—On and after Wednesday 21st. inst. the last Fort street car will leave the corner of Government and Yates streets at 11.30 p.m., instead of 11.15 p.m., as heretofore. On the Oak Bay line at 15-minute service will be given on Saturdays and Sundays, from 12 noon until 6 p.m., instead of from 1 p.m. to 6 p.m., as formerly.

—The incorporation of the Duncan Water Works Company, Limited, marks the commencement of a new era in the progress of that enterprising town. The water works, which will be installed not by the municipality but by the above company, will fill a want long felt in the town of Duncan. The energetic promoters of the scheme are: Messrs. C. H. Dickie, M. P., P. E. J. L. Price, Andrew Peterson, Thos. Pitt, H. Kest, Thos. A. Wood, Harry Smith and E. M. Skinner. The fact of these gentlemen being connected with the company is sufficient to ensure its success.

—Men's Brown and Black Seamless Cotton Sox, worth 15c; three pairs for 25c, at The Manumoa Bankrupt Clothing Sale, 111 Government St.

—The regular fortnightly meeting of the Natural History Society was held last evening, when Mr. Hastings gave a microscopic demonstration with the microscope of the society. At the next meeting of the society Mr. Pinc will give an illustrated lecture on "Plant Life."

—The funeral of the late Mrs. Sophia Moran took place this morning from the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. Cox, Gordon street, at 9 o'clock, and later the Roman Cathedral cathedral, where Rev. Father Althoff conducted appropriate services. Many beautiful floral emblems adorned the casket. The pall-bearers were: Messrs. Thos. Taylor, M. P., J. W. Speed, N. Sabien, W. Carre, N. Hendricks and F. Brayshaw.

—In the schoolroom of the First Presbyterian church last evening a very interesting and instructive address was given on Sunday school work by Mrs. Foster Bryner, of Chicago. The speaker took for her topic "Pointers," and by means of the blackboard illustrated many methods and ideas gained through her large experience in the work, touching on the scholar, the parent and the teacher. At the conclusion of the lecture a hearty vote of thanks was voted to Mrs. Bryner, who made a suitable reply. Wm. Macintosh, president of the local Sunday School Association, occupied the chair, and during the evening vocal solos were contributed by Miss Deaville and Mrs. Gideon Hills.

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36-INCH GREY COTTON, 22 YARDS FOR ..... 1.00	BEST QUALITY WAIST LINING, REGULAR 25c. LINE, PER YARD ..... 121-2c	PINS, PER PACKAGE ..... 2c
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